

Identity and Access Management (IAM)

End User Guide



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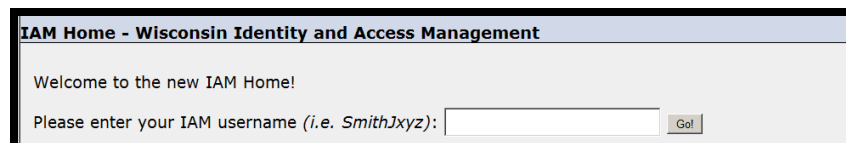
HOW TO ACTIVATE YOUR ACCOUNT

Activating your account requires input from you and will take a couple of minutes to complete. IAM screens will walk you through the following steps:

- Complete a challenge-response process
- Create your shared secret question and answer
- Create a new password

1. Open a browser (ex: Internet Explorer) and enter **https://iam.wisconsin.gov**

2. Enter in the **IAM Account** that you were given. Press the **Go** button.

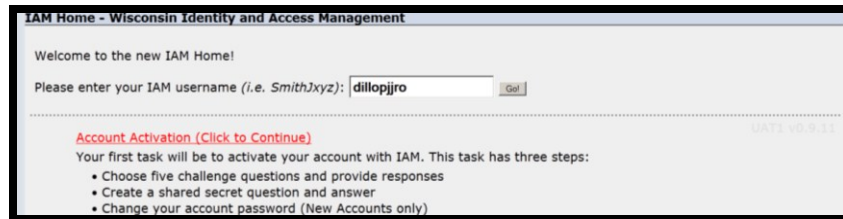


IAM Home - Wisconsin Identity and Access Management

Welcome to the new IAM Home!

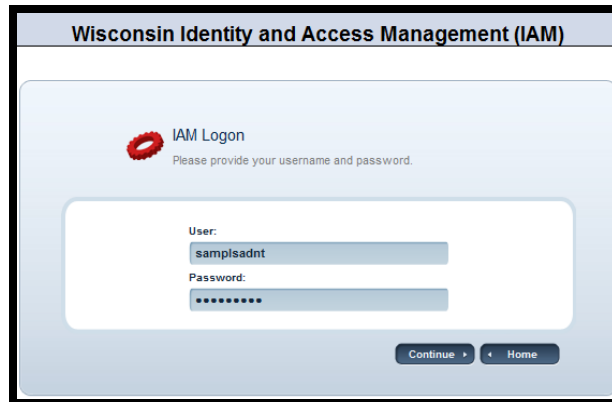
Please enter your IAM username (i.e. SmithJxyz):

3. Click **Account Activation (Click to Continue)** to begin the steps to activate your account.



The screenshot shows the 'IAM Home - Wisconsin Identity and Access Management' page. It includes a welcome message, a username input field with 'dilopjro' entered, and a 'Go!' button. Below this is a section for 'Account Activation (Click to Continue)' with instructions and three steps: choosing challenge questions, creating a shared secret question, and changing the password. A version number 'UAT1 v0.9.1.1' is visible in the top right corner.

4. Enter in the **password** that you were given in the **Password:** field. Press the **Continue** button.



The screenshot shows the 'Wisconsin Identity and Access Management (IAM)' Logon page. It features a red key icon and the text 'IAM Logon Please provide your username and password.' Below this are input fields for 'User:' (containing 'samplsadnt') and 'Password:' (masked with dots). At the bottom are 'Continue' and 'Home' buttons.

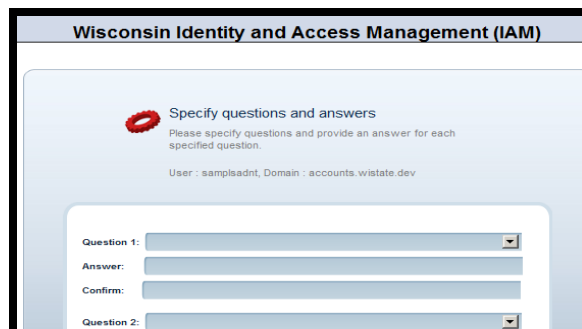
Select and Answer Challenge-Response Questions

The Challenge-Response process allows you to securely recover your account 24 hours a day, seven (7) days a week, such as when you forget your password. Choose five (5) **questions** and provide answers that you can use, exactly as entered, to recover your account. **The answers are NOT case sensitive.** These question-answer combinations identify you as the owner of this account.

CAUTION

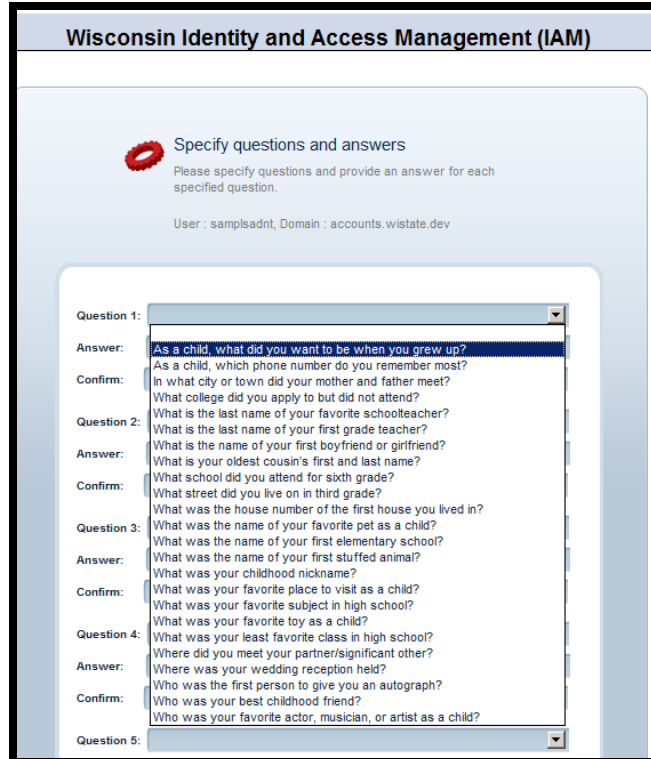
No one else can view your questions and answers, so be sure to use unique, meaningful answers that you can remember! If you do forget the answers, you will not be able to use Account Recovery and will need to contact someone in your agency as defined by your agency support procedures.

5. The panel will come up that allows you to select and answer your Challenge Response Questions.



The screenshot shows the 'Specify questions and answers' page. It includes instructions to specify questions and provide answers. Below this, it shows the user information: 'User : samplsadnt, Domain : accounts.wistate.dev'. There are input fields for 'Question 1:', 'Answer:', 'Confirm:', and 'Question 2:', each with a dropdown arrow.

6. For each of the 5 question slots **press the drop down** button. Using your mouse go down to the question that you wish to select and **click** on it.

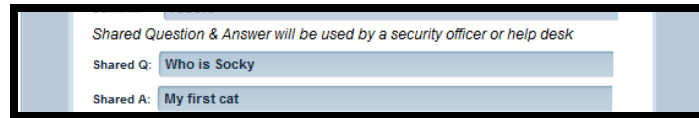


7. The question will now appear in the Question box. Key in the answer to the question (identically) in the **Answer** and **Confirm** box. You will perform this process 5 times so all questions are selected and answered (Question 1, Question 2, Question 3, Question 4 and Question 5). **Your answers must be at least 2 characters long.**



Create a Shared Secret Question and Answer

8. Scroll the panel down and enter in your own secret question after **Shared Q.** Enter the answer to the question after **Shared A.**



NOTES

The shared secret question/answer can be seen by your agency security administrator or help desk technician. They will ask you to answer your shared secret question to confirm your identity as the owner of your account.

CAUTION

Your shared secret question-answer combination impacts how secure your Userid is. You should select shared secret questions that cannot be easily researched or guessed, such as:

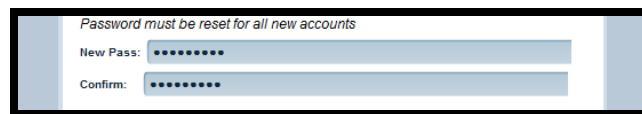
- Where did my husband propose to me?
- How did I break my leg/arm?

Avoid secret questions such as:

- What is my mother's maiden name?
- What is my son's first name or middle name

Create a New Password

9. Scroll the panel down and enter a new password for your IAM account. Enter in the new password identically in the **New Pass** and **Confirm** fields. Note the password requirements. Press the **Activate Account** button.



PASSWORD REQUIREMENTS

The IAM technical implementation enforces these requirements:

- The last 8 passwords cannot be reused.

- Passwords must be changed every **60 days**.
- Passwords must be 7–20 characters in length
- Passwords must contain at least three of the following categories of characters:
 - Uppercase letters (ABC...)
 - Lowercase letters (abc...)
 - Numerals 0 to 9
 - Symbols found on the keyboard
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- Passwords cannot match your firstname, middle name or last name (3 characters or greater).

10. The **Congratulations!** panel will appear. Press the **Home** button.



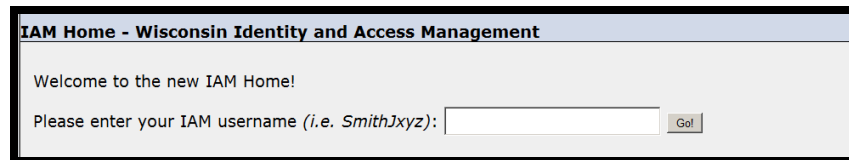
11. You have now successfully completed the IAM Account Activation Process. You may close your browser window.

HOW TO RECOVER YOUR ACCOUNT

You may need to recover your account for two reasons.

- You entered your password unsuccessfully four (4) consecutive times. This causes your IAM account to become locked. This action is called *intruder lockout*.
- Your password has expired (passwords must be changed every 60 days). This situation is treated as if your account has become intruder locked and you do not know what the password is (even though you might).

1. To use Account Recovery open a browser (ex: Internet Explorer) and enter <https://iam.wisconsin.gov>.
2. Enter your IAM account in the **username** field. Press the **Go** button.

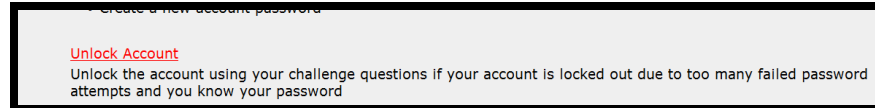


The screenshot shows the 'IAM Home - Wisconsin Identity and Access Management' page. It has a header with the title. Below the header, it says 'Welcome to the new IAM Home!'. Then, it prompts the user to 'Please enter your IAM username (i.e. SmithJxyz):' followed by a text input field and a 'Go!' button.

3. You have three options to recover an account.
 - Go to **Step 4** if your password is **not** expired and you **do remember** your password.
 - Go to **Step 8** if your password **has** expired **or** you **do NOT** remember your password.

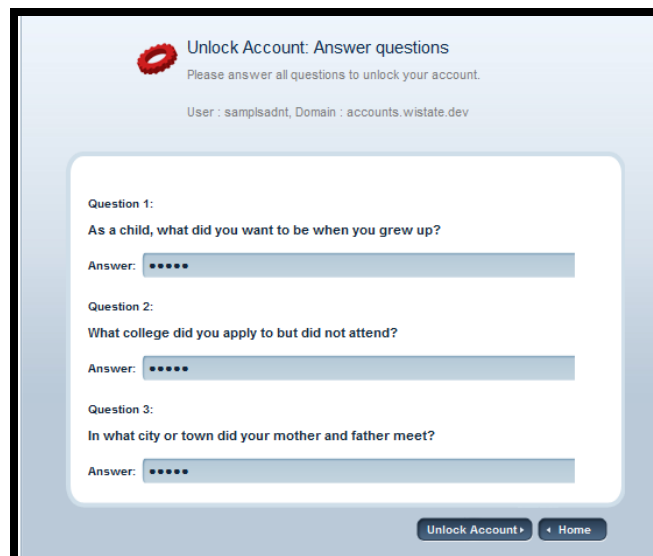
How to Unlock Your Account

4. Click on **Unlock Account** if you remember your password and your password has **not** expired.



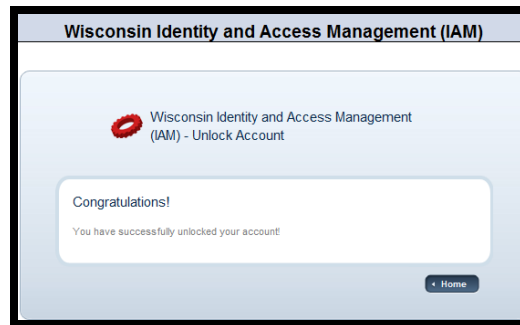
The screenshot shows a link labeled 'Unlock Account' in red text. Below the link, it says 'Unlock the account using your challenge questions if your account is locked out due to too many failed password attempts and you know your password'.

5. You will be presented with 3 of the Challenge Response Questions that you answered when you went through Account Activation. Enter the **answer** to each question. Press the **Unlock Account** button.



The screenshot shows the 'Unlock Account: Answer questions' page. It has a header with a red lock icon and the title 'Unlock Account: Answer questions'. Below the title, it says 'Please answer all questions to unlock your account.' and 'User : sampladnt, Domain : accounts.wisstate.dev'. The main content area contains three questions, each with a text input field for the answer. The questions are: 'Question 1: As a child, what did you want to be when you grew up?', 'Question 2: What college did you apply to but did not attend?', and 'Question 3: In what city or town did your mother and father meet?'. At the bottom right, there are two buttons: 'Unlock Account' and 'Home'.

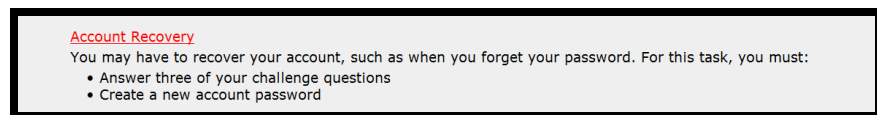
6. The **Congratulations!** panel will come up. Press the **Home** button.



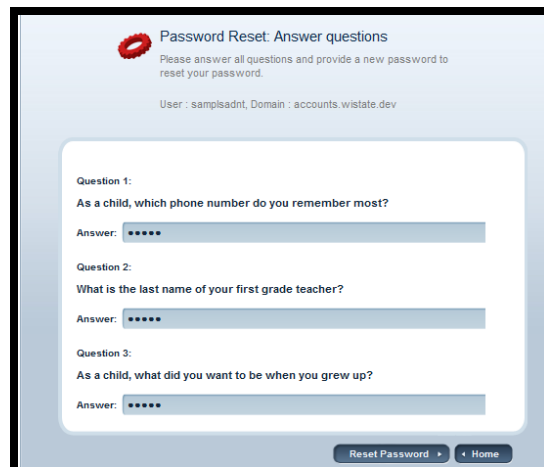
7. You have now successfully **unlocked** your IAM account. You may close your browser window. Your password has **NOT** been changed so you can use the password that you last remember.

How to Recover Your Password

8. Click on **Account Recovery** if **your password has expired** **or** you do **NOT** remember your password.



9. You are presented with a panel that contains 3 of the Challenge Response questions that you answered when you went through Account Activation. After you enter in the correct answer to each Challenge Response question, you will be given the opportunity to select a new password for your account.
- a. Enter the **answer** to each question that you have been presented with. Press the **Reset Password** button.



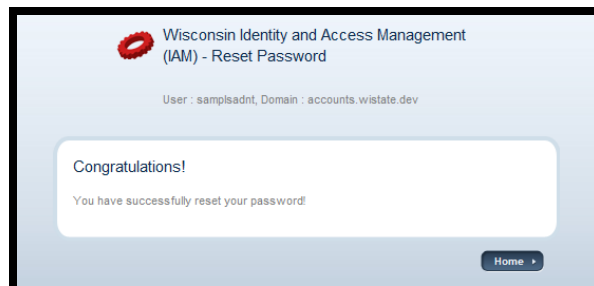
- b. Enter in a **new** password in the ‘**Please enter your new password**’ and ‘**Confirm your new password**’ fields. Both these entries must be identical. Press the **Reset Password** button. Note the password requirements below.



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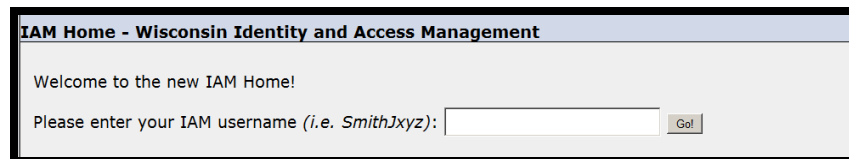
PASSWORD CHANGE

IMPORTANT

If your IAM password has **EXPIRED** you must follow the **Account Recovery** steps. Go to **How to Recover your Password** on page 8, step 8.

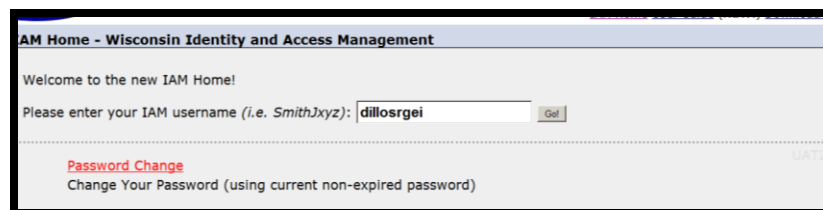
To perform an IAM Account password change, follow these initial steps:

1. To change your IAM account password open a browser (ex: Internet Explorer) and enter <https://iam.wisconsin.gov>.
2. Enter your IAM account in the **username** field. Press the **Go** button.



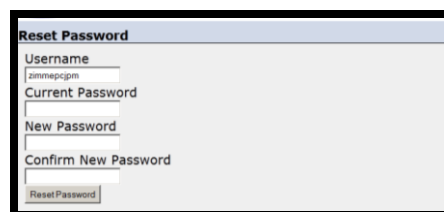
The screenshot shows the 'IAM Home - Wisconsin Identity and Access Management' page. It includes a welcome message and a form to enter the IAM username. The username field contains 'dillosrgei' and the 'Go' button is visible.

3. Press **Password Change**.



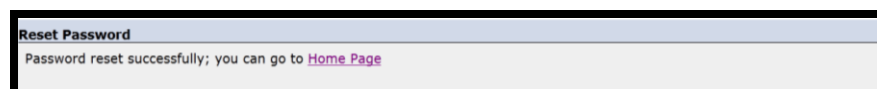
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4. Enter your *Current Password* in the **Current Password** field. Enter your *New Password* identically in the **New Password** and **Confirm New Password** fields. Press the **Reset Password** button. See page 9 for Password Requirements.



The screenshot shows the 'Reset Password' form. It includes fields for 'Username', 'Current Password', 'New Password', and 'Confirm New Password'. The 'Reset Password' button is visible at the bottom.

5. The following panel will appear. Click on **Home Page** to return to the IAM home page. You are done and can close your browser.

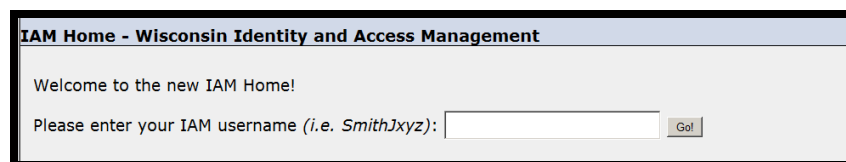


The screenshot shows the 'Reset Password' success message. It states 'Password reset successfully; you can go to [Home Page](#)'.

HOW TO MANAGE YOUR ACCOUNT

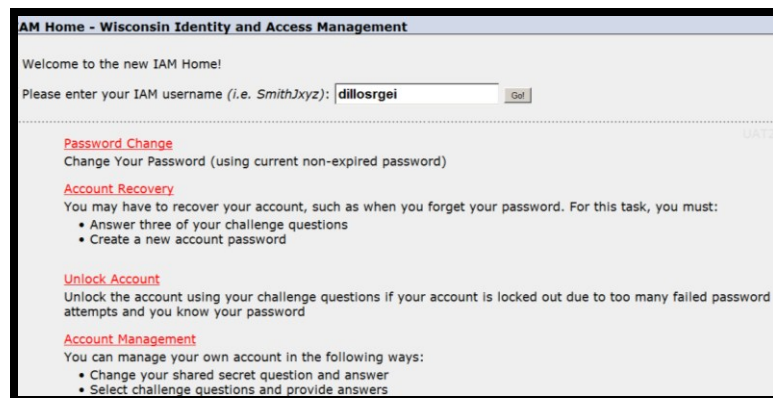
Under this option you can change your current **shared secret question / answer** or select and answer new **challenge-response questions**.

1. To manage your account open a browser (ex: Internet Explorer) and enter <https://iam.wisconsin.gov> .
2. Enter your IAM account in the **username** field. Press the **Go** button.



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3. Click on **Account Management**.

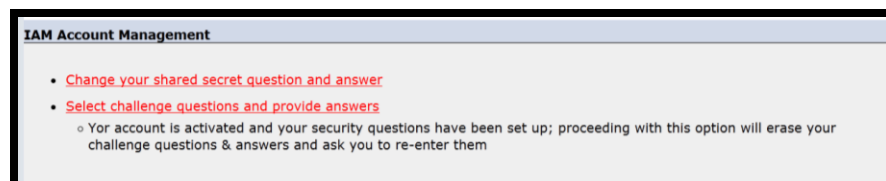


The screenshot shows the 'IAM Home - Wisconsin Identity and Access Management' page with the 'Account Management' section expanded. It lists several options: 'Password Change' (Change Your Password), 'Account Recovery' (You may have to recover your account...), 'Unlock Account' (Unlock the account using your challenge questions...), and 'Account Management' (You can manage your own account in the following ways: Change your shared secret question and answer, Select challenge questions and provide answers).

- Go to Step 4 to recreate a new Secret Question/Answer
- Go to Step 9 to select and answer new Challenge-Response questions

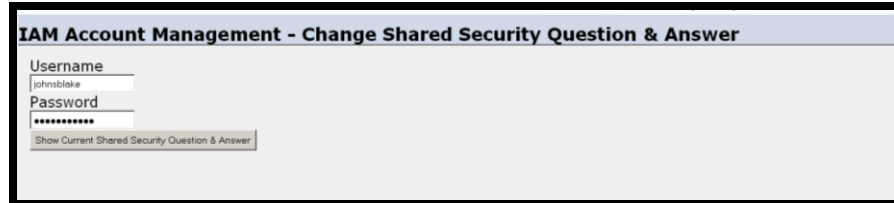
Create a New Shared Secret Question and Answer

4. Press **Change your shared secret question and answer**.

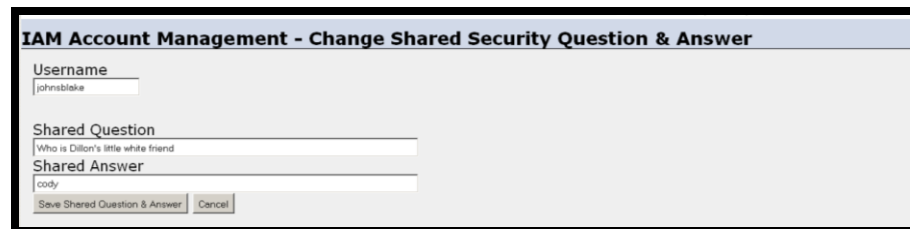


The screenshot shows the 'IAM Account Management' page. It lists two main options: 'Change your shared secret question and answer' and 'Select challenge questions and provide answers'. Below the second option, there is a note: 'Your account is activated and your security questions have been set up; proceeding with this option will erase your challenge questions & answers and ask you to re-enter them'.

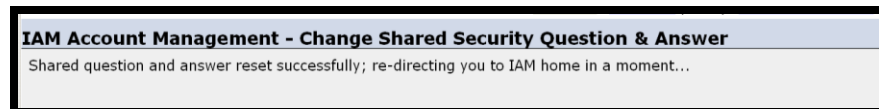
5. Enter in your *current IAM account and password* and press the **Show Current Shared Security Question & Answer** button.



6. The next panel will show your current secret question and answer. Type over the values in the **Shared Question** and **Shared Answer** fields with your new **Shared Security Question & Answer**. Press the **Save Shared Question & Answer** button.



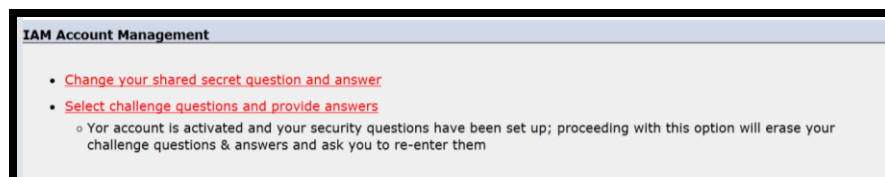
7. The following panel comes up.



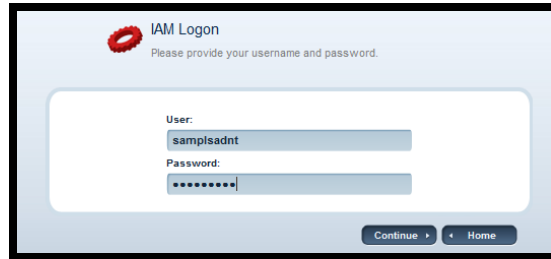
8. You have successfully completed changing your Shared Secret Question/Answer. You may close your browser window.

Select and Answer New Challenge Response Questions

9. Press **Select challenge questions and provide answer**.

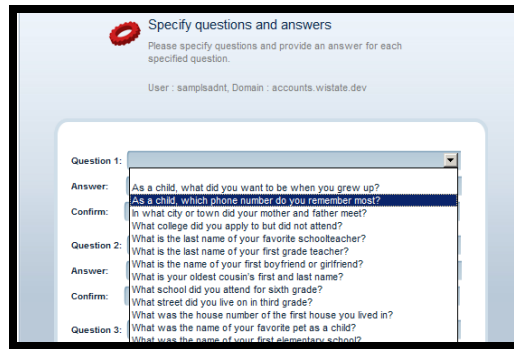


10. Enter in your *IAM account password* in the Password field. Press the **Continue** button.



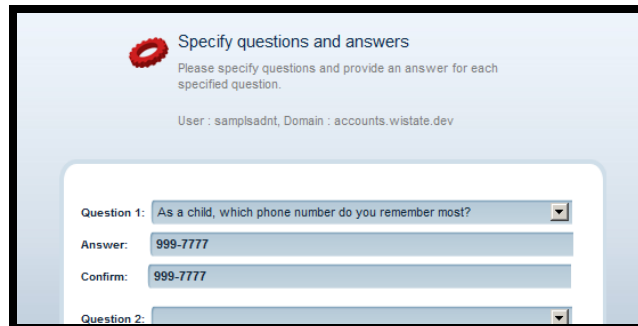
The IAM Logon screen features a red key icon and the text "IAM Logon" and "Please provide your username and password." It contains two input fields: "User:" with the value "samplesadnt" and "Password:" with masked characters. At the bottom are "Continue" and "Home" buttons.

11. The next panel comes up where you can choose your Challenge Response questions and answer them. For each of the 5 question slots **press the drop down button**. Using your mouse go down to the question that you wish to select and answer. **Click** on it.



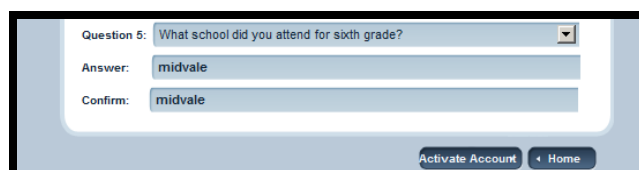
The "Specify questions and answers" screen shows a list of questions for "User : samplesadnt, Domain : accounts.wisstate.dev". Question 1 is selected, showing a dropdown menu with options like "As a child, what did you want to be when you grew up?" and "As a child, which phone number do you remember most?". The "Answer:" and "Confirm:" fields are empty.

12. The question will now appear in the Question box. Key in the answer to that question identically in the **Answer** and **Confirm** box. You will perform this process five (5) times so all questions are selected and answered (Question 1, Question 2, Question 3, Question 4 and Question 5).



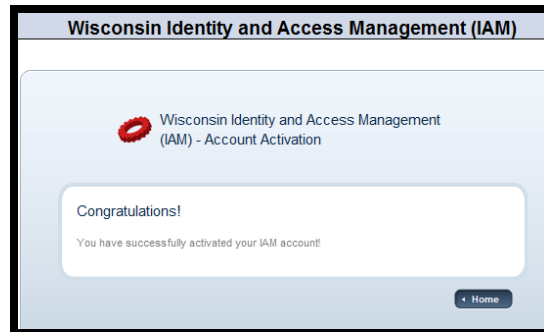
The screen shows the same question list, but Question 1 is now selected and its text "As a child, which phone number do you remember most?" is in the "Question 1:" box. The "Answer:" and "Confirm:" fields both contain the value "999-7777".

13. When you have selected and answered all your Challenge-Response questions press the **Activate Account** button.



The screen shows Question 5 selected: "What school did you attend for sixth grade?". The "Answer:" and "Confirm:" fields both contain the value "midvale". At the bottom are "Activate Account" and "Home" buttons.

14. The **Congratulations!** panel appears. Press the **Home** button.



15. You have now successfully completed changing your Challenge-Response questions. You may close your browser window.

HOW TO GET HELP

For help please follow your agency procedures for password assistance. This may include contacting your Agency Help Desk or Agency IAM Security Administrator.